

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. NO.: 4396-01
BILL NO.: HB 1973
SUBJECT: Drugs and Controlled Substances; Health Care; Health Department
TYPE: Original
DATE: February 22, 2000

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

This fiscal note contains 3 pages.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Revenue**, the **Department of Public Safety - Missouri State Highway Patrol**, and the **Department of Health** assume this proposal would not fiscally impact their agencies.

Officials from the **Office of Secretary of State** did not respond to our fiscal impact request.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
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<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
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FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This proposal would make gamma hydroxybutyric acid (GHB) a Schedule I controlled substance, except in circumstances where GHB or its derivatives have been approved for medical use, in which case it would be a Schedule III controlled substance. The proposal would also make ketamine and its derivatives a Schedule III controlled substance and would remove it from the list of Schedule IV substances. The proposal would add gamma butyrolactone and 1,4 butanediol to the list of drugs for which a report would be required to the Department of Health upon all transactions. The proposal would also remove certain timing and data requirements from the reports that would be made to the Department of Health concerning controlled substance transactions, but would add new record-keeping requirements that must meet federal and Department of Health standards. The proposal would authorize the department to inspect the establishments of those who transact controlled substances.

DESCRIPTION (continued)

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This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Health
Department of Revenue
Department of Public Safety
Missouri State Highway Patrol

NOT RESPONDING: Office of Secretary of State

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeanne Jarrett". The signature is stylized with a large initial "J" and a cursive "Jarrett".

Jeanne Jarrett, CPA
Director
February 22, 2000